

Yorkshire Dales National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 08 Sep 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 09 Sep 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 07 Sep 2023 at 15:58

Confidence: High for trend from fine and very warm conditions to something more changeable and typically seasonal over the five days. Low for thundery shower and then rain detail.

Headline for Friday 08 Sep 2023: Fine with hazy sunshine. Outside chance of isolated thundery showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 08 Sep 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	10%	20%	20%	20%	10%	00%

Forecast for Friday 08 Sep 2023

Weather: Fine during the early hours, although valleys with exposure to the east may see areas of low cloud arrive. Low cloud, valley mist and fog should soon clear after daybreak. Another very warm day will develop, with areas of high cloud and haze as well as sunny periods expected, with little heat relief expected from the wind, which should be light throughout. Medium-level cloud carries the chance of producing the odd rumble of thunder and perhaps an outside chance of a heavy shower later on, although the emphasis is on the dry. Keeping abreast of the forecast is advised in this respect.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Near 100%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of low cloud below 300 metres in the east, as well as more general valley mist and fog soon clearing, but general haziness of recent days persisting.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/6 E	4/6 NE	3/5 NE	3/5 NW	4/7 SW	6/9 SW	5/9 SW	6/9 SW	8/11 SW
300	4/6 NE	3/6 NE	3/4 N	2/3 SE	4/7 SW	5/9 SW	3/8 SW	2/6 SW	3/9 W
Valley	4/7 E	4/5 E	3/5 E	2/3 SW	4/7 W	5/9 W	2/5 SW	1/4 W	2/5 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	18/18	18/18	18/18	19/20	22/22	22/22	20/20	18/18	17/17
300	16/16	16/16	15/16	21/23	25/26	25/25	21/22	16/17	16/16
Valley	18/18	16/17	16/16	22/23	25/26	25/26	22/24	18/20	17/19
Freezing Level*	3600m	3600m	3600m	3600m	3600m	3500m	3400m	3400m	3300m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Light winds are more liable to be upslope in the heat of the day, changing to downslope early and late.

Recent rainfall: measured at Malham: altitude 375m

Recorded at
14:00 on Thu 07 Sep 2023

Last 24 hours:
0.2mm

Last 48 hours:
0.2mm

Last 72 hours:
0.2mm

Forecast for Saturday 09 Sep 2023

Weather: Low confidence in detail surrounding heavy and potentially thundery showers. Probably another fine and very warm start, with further hazy sunny periods. Becoming more generally cloudy with time, this then perhaps producing thundery downpours, both imported from the south and perhaps home-grown later.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 15mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Near 100%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Similar to recent days, a lot of haziness, perhaps cleared to some degree should showers materialise later. Early low cloud below 300 metres in the east soon dispersing.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 becoming 27 degrees Celsius.

At 600m: Plus 19 degrees Celsius.

Freezing level: Well above the summits.